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This is a request for a corrected Filing Receipt. our review of the Filing Receipt received from the Patent and Trademark Office in the captioned application, we noted that the total number of claims is set forth as 11 The captioned application contains 10 claims. Further, we note that the second named inventor is set forth as "Andrea Bobitzki". This is incorrect and should read "Andrea Robitzki".

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